

Edmonton Bulletin.

Senate Reading Room
1 Jan 1900

Vol. XXII, No. 1.

EDMONTON, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1899.

SEMI-WEEKLY, 4 PAGES.

War News.

FIGHTING AT LADYSMITH

The British Losses a Detached Column of 1,500 Men. The Irish Fusiliers, the Gloucestershires and a Mountain Battery Gobbled by the Boers. A Tactical Blunder by Gen. Buller. The Boer Attack Ladysmith at Long Range and the Boers' Victory Reported. British Reinforcements are Arriving. Ladysmith Not in Danger. A Big Butcher's Bill.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 2d, '99.

The breaking down of the Delagoa cable route, combined with monopolization of the available telegraph lines by the government and state officers is responsible for the fact that nothing further has arrived from South Africa up to midnight. Nothing has been received concerning Monday's casualties. An unconfirmed statement in published that Buller has left Cape Town for Ladysmith. A belated despatch from Ladysmith describing yesterday's fight says that a couple of squadrons of Hussars had a narrow escape from disaster early in the day. They found themselves suddenly confronted with enemy range by an overwhelming force of Boers, who seemed to spring from the earth. The Hussars were splendidly disciplined and were extricated with only one man wounded.

A despatch dated Tuesday morning says that stragglers of the Gloucestershire regiment are arriving at Ladysmith, and a number of men with a portion of the mountain battery are also coming in.

The British war office has issued the following additional despatch as to casualties: 58 casualties were sustained by Gen. Buller's force from the time of the battle of Glencoe until it joined the force of Gen. White-King's rifle, 4 killed, 13 wounded; Leicestershire regiment, 1 wounded, and 9 missing; artillery, 1 killed, 1 wounded, 2 missing; mounted infantry, 27 missing. The last mentioned were attached to the squadron of the 18th Hussars who were entrapped by the Boers after the battle of Glencoe. They were undoubtedly captured with Hussars. A careful calculation of the British losses in all engagements since the outbreak of hostilities, excluding the non-commissioned officers and men in Monday's disaster at Ladysmith, which thus far are unknown here, totals 916, to which 1,200 will be added when the details regarding the Ladysmith reverse are received. The total is made up as follows: Officers, 132—9 killed, 61 wounded and 53 captured. Men 783—137 killed, 492 wounded and 154 captured.

LADYSMITH, Oct. 30th, 11:50.

Firing commenced at 5:20 this morning the Boers shelling Ladysmith with forty guns. After the British shot the Boers succeeded in silencing the Boer guns. A force of Boers is now advancing on the British left flank.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

The despatch of the associated press from Ladysmith this morning, which was sent at express rate, came through in the remarkable time of two hours. It shows the crisis which the present stage of war operations has reached. The expected attack on Ladysmith by the joint Boer force has opened. A despatch from Durban, timed 9:55 this morning, supplements the associated press despatch with the information that the Boer shells were again directed against the station. No damage was done up to the time the message from Durban was forwarded. That the heavy guns of the Boers, from which so much was expected, should be silenced so speedily as indicated in the despatch from Ladysmith is a matter of great surprise, but the subsequent advance of the Boer force on the British left flank shows that the attacking party were in great numbers and were still full of the self same confidence and daring they have already exhibited on various occasions. Apparently the Boers have concentrated for a supreme effort at Ladysmith.

New York, Oct. 30, '99.

A discredited despatch from Holland via Berlin stating that the British force at Ladysmith has surrendered to the Boer army is not believed here.

Winnipeg, Oct. 30, '99.

A despatch just received from Ladysmith announces that the Boers have been repulsed with heavy loss.

General White, commanding at Ladysmith, wires: "In an engagement with the Boers to-day I employed all the troops here except the obligatory garrison before the works. I sent a mountain battery, the Irish Fusiliers and the Gloucesters to take up a position on the hills to clear my left flank. The force moved out at 11 yesterday evening, and during the same night the firing battery mules stamped with some guns, which I hope to recover. Two battalions have not yet returned, but are expected this evening. I detailed two brigade divisions of artillery and five battalions of cavalry under Gen. French to attack the position evacuated, but our force was attacked with considerable vigor by whom I believe were Gen. Joubert's troops. They had many guns and showed in great numbers. Our troops were all in action and we pushed the enemy back several miles, but did not succeed in reaching his laager. Our losses are between 80 and 100, but the enemy's must have been much greater the fire of our guns being very effective. After being in the hands of the Boers for several hours, they returned unmolested to their contentments. The enemy are in great numbers and their guns range further than our field guns. I now have several of their guns temporarily silenced and hope I will permanently dominate the enemy's best guns with which they have been bombarding the town at a range of over 6,000 feet."

The naval brigade arrived this morning at 9:30 and has just commenced firing with six quick firing guns with great precision. The Boer four pounders, which had again begun to shell the town, were temporarily disabled at the third and fifth reports. Brief firing is in progress on the right and left flanks. The advance was made at dawn with the object of shelling the Boers from their position where yesterday they mounted a number of guns. On reaching the spot, however, it was found that they had evacuated the position. British continued to advance and the movement developed into a reconnaissance in force. The enemy were posted on a range of hills having a frontage of about sixteen miles."

WINNIPEG, Oct. 31.

General White cables the British War Office from Ladysmith: "I have to report

a disaster to the column sent by me to take the position on the hill to guard the left flank of the troops. In these operations to take the Royal Fusiliers, a mountain battery, and the Gloucestershire regiment were surrounded in the hills. After losing heavily they capitulated. The casualties are not yet ascertained. A man of the Fusiliers employed as hospital orderly came in under a flag of truce with a letter from the survivors of the column, who asked assistance to bring in their dead. I fear there is no doubt of the truth of the report. I formed the plan, the carrying out of which the disaster occurred. I am alone responsible. No blame whatever attaches to the troops, as the position was untenable."

The list of officers captured is given. The number is 42. The full extent of the disaster is not known, but must be appalling to a general who is practically surrounded. The two finest British regiments and a mule battery deducted from the Ladysmith garrison make up about one-fifth of its total strength and alter the whole situation. The disaster costs the British 1,500 to 2,000 men and several seven pound screw guns; and as the Boers are pretty strong it can be imagined that the capture of these guns will be a great help to them.

The latest despatch says: Fighting has been renewed at Ladysmith, and a battle is now in progress.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 1st.

Gen. White telegraphs from Ladysmith describing the disaster of yesterday to the detached column of Fusiliers and Gloucestershires:

"At dawn skirmishing attack on our position was commenced by enemy. At 9:30 a. m. strong reinforcements enabled them to rush the attack with great energy. Their fire became very searching and two companies of Gloucesters in an advancing position were ordered to fall back. Enemy then pressed to short range, the losses on our side becoming very numerous."

At 3 p. m. their ammunition was practically exhausted, the position was captured and the survivors of column fell into the enemy's hands."

The enemy treated our wounded with humanity. Gen. Joubert dispatched letter to me offering safe conduct to doctors and ambulance to remove the wounded. The want success of the column is due to the misfortune of the mules stampeding and the consequent loss of its ammunition reserve."

One regiment of the British with fixed bayonets held a position on the hill till owing to the raking fire of the Boers they had to surrender.

Safety of Ladysmith is in no way affected. A Cape Town despatch says the Boers shelled Ladysmith last night. Naval brigade of the warship Philomela with six guns responded and knocked one of the Boer's forty pounders overlooking Ladysmith off its stand, and silenced the Boer battery. Many Boers must have been killed.

The Very Latest. Another list of casualties at Dundee was issued by the war office this morning. It gives 82 non-commissioned officers and men of the Dundee Fusiliers missing; indicating that the Boers captured as many Fusiliers as they did Hussars.

The war office at London this afternoon issued the following despatch dated Ladysmith, Nov. 1st, Egerton, of H. M. S. Powerful, was dangerously wounded this morning by a shell in the left knee and right foot. His life is in danger at present. It is inferred from this despatch that the artillery duel between the Boers and British continues as Lieut. Egerton was gunnery lieutenant with the big naval guns.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Wheat at Fort William 68c. Baron Hylton, England, is dead. Indications point to an early election in the Territories.

Four persons were killed and 30 injured in a boiler explosion at Sheffield, Eng. Rev. McBean, of Winnipeg, secretary of the Manitoba book and tract society, is dead.

The trial of Anderson in connection with the Molson's bank robbery case has commenced. Mrs. J. Stewart Tupper and Lady Tupper were injured in a runaway accident in Winnipeg.

LOCAL.

J. D. CLARKE has gone to Vancouver. Public school opens at 9:30 a. m. from Nov. 1st.

A special freight train came in on Wednesday morning. JAS. LAVER has not sold out his bakery and confectionery business as reported.

YESTERDAY was All Saints' day. Special services in the English and Roman Catholic churches. LUKE KELLY, of the St. Albert road, is seriously ill. Mr. Kelly is one of the pioneers of Edmonton.

G. H. L. BOSSANGE has removed to the store recently occupied by J. M. Closson & Co. and to the BELLEVUE office. J. M. CLOSSON & Co. are now occupying the Marks, Clavet, Dobie building recently purchased by the firm. The move was made yesterday.

ROBT. WAINWRIGHT, of Strathcona, was brought before G. W. Gairner, J. P., on Monday charged with breaking into the house of a neighbor, R. E. Jones. The case is adjourned until to-day.

CHAS. C. JONES came in from the east last week and is contemplating making his permanent residence here. Mr. Jones is a violinist and teacher of the violin, a student of Stansfield College, P. Q. He will open a class of instruction on the violin.

The new Presbyterian church at Riviere Qui Parle will be formally opened on Sunday, the 5th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. by the Rev. D. G. McQueen, of Edmonton. A cordial invitation is extended by the congregation to all, and a lunch will be provided for friends from a distance. W. T. HENRY, Dr. Goodwin and H. C. Taylor, of the Koney Island Sporting Co., returned from Cooking Lake last night. They went out to close the club buildings for the winter and lay the boats up for the season. The lake was frozen sufficiently hard to enable them to drive across.

J. G. OLIVER, Geo. Russell and Wm. Stiff came in from the Landing Tuesday. The Athabasca was still open when they left, though the ice was running freely. The Landing is steadily progressing. There are now four stopping houses there. R. B. Ferguson has charge of McDougall & Secord's store there during Mr. Russell's absence on his holidays.

F. D. FORTIN left for Nelson and Roseland on this morning's train.

JOS. WHITEHEAD has taken a position in McDougall & Secord's grocery department.

THE report that the police detachment at St. Albert was to be withdrawn is incorrect.

THE Victoria restaurant has removed to the premises lately occupied by Bossange's bookstore.

J. T. MCLEAREN of Strathcona was married in Ottawa on Oct. 24th to Miss Agnes H. Blyth of that city.

HALLOWEEN pranks were at a discount on Tuesday night. Extra police were on and the effect was excellent.

W. JOHNSSTONE WALKER is having a cellar dug on his lot next to the Harris building. So as to be ready for the removal of his present store to that site first thing in the spring.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Woman's hospital aid society will meet in the council chamber on Monday next Nov. 6th, at 3 p. m. A full attendance of all members is requested.

LIEUT. FRANK D. LAFFERTY, of B. Battery, Royal Canadian Artillery, has been chosen as one of the officers who will accompany the Canadian contingent to the Transvaal.

LIEUT. LAFFERTY is a son of Dr. Lafferty of Calgary. He was a member of the Moody overland expedition from Edmonton to Pelly river and produced the map of the country traversed which has been issued by the police department.

AT the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. held at the residence of Mrs. Jas. McDonald on Oct. 25th the following were elected officers for the year: President, Mrs. Thos. Bellamy; Vice presidents, Mrs. D. C. Robertson; Mrs. (Rev.) C. B. Freeman; Mrs. O. Bush; Mrs. (Rev.) E. C. Buchanan; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Jas. McDonald; Recording Secretary, Miss Phillips; Treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Montgomery; Organist, Mrs. Robt. Manson; Auditors, Mrs. W. T. Henry and Mrs. Manson.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOUND.

One brown horse, branded circle 2, two white hind legs, white face, indistinct brand on left hip. Came to my premises and paying for this ad. WM. SIMMONS, Ft. Saskatchewan.

CHAS. G. JONES,

TUTOR ON THE VIOLIN. Pupils of Prof. Holmes, of Stansfield College, Province of Quebec. Violin students desiring lessons may make arrangements by calling at H. Astley's store. Piano tuned.

ISAAC COWIE,

Fire, Grain, Accident & Sickness INSURANCE. Real Estate in Town and Country.

MINES.

FOR SALE.

One of the most prominent Main Street corners, with store building and dwelling combined. Also stable, shed, etc. The best bargain the town offers. Apply to P. HEIMINCK & Co., Real Estate Agents.

NOTICE.

All parties in any way interfering with any parts of the Steamer, "Northwest" will be prosecuted, and no claims for salvage will be recognized. Oct. 26th, 1899.

W. T. LIVOCK,

for Hudson's Bay Co. Offers for the hull or any part of the Steamer "Northwest" to be sent to the above.

To the Public.

Having disposed of the West End Dairy, I beg leave to thank my numerous customers for their patronage in the past, and solicit a continuance of their support to my successors, Messrs. Breckenridge & McLean, who I am confident will render you good service in the future.

Very respectfully yours, THOS. HOURSTON.

J. GAINER,

STRATHCONA, ALBERTA, Will pay CASH for

Oats, Hogs,

Hides, Beef, Dressed Poultry

IN ANY QUANTITY.

160 Barrels OF CHOICE WINTER APPLES

Baldwins, Russets, Spys, Snows, Talman Sweets, Etc.

Bulbs of all kinds.

White Callas, Black Callas, Freesias Mammoth, Narcissus Von Sion, Lilium Longflowium, White Roman Hyacinth, Named Roman Hyacinth, Tulips Double, etc.

LAUDER'S

THE SCOTCH BAKERY, Main Street, Edmonton.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

INCORPORATED A.D. 1670

A Special Invitation.

When outfitting for the winter an inspection of our stock is respectfully solicited.

For Men, Women and Children. In these we carry full lines, and as we have been a long time in the business, of which we have made a special study, our goods are not only adapted to the country but are specially adapted to the district, and our special facilities for buying to the best advantage enables us to put them in our customers' hands at right prices and guarantee their quality.

Winter.. Clothing

For Men, Women and Children. In these we carry full lines, and as we have been a long time in the business, of which we have made a special study, our goods are not only adapted to the country but are specially adapted to the district, and our special facilities for buying to the best advantage enables us to put them in our customers' hands at right prices and guarantee their quality.

Underwear And Hosiery..

Are also specialties with us, and we guarantee satisfaction in quality and prices.

Give us a call. All are welcome at

HUDSON'S BAY STORES.

You are Missing it..

If you do not call at NANKIN'S Jewelry Store and have a look through his stock of various assortments of all grades of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Optical Goods, Silverware and other Novelties at very reasonable prices.

Rings and other Jewelry of all kinds, if not in stock, made to order at the best manufacturers, from Saskatchewan gold.

Watch and Clock repairs a specialty, and guaranteed for one year to keep standard time.

S. Nankin, The Practical Jeweler.

Opposite the General Post Office, Edmonton.

For the Best Goods at Lowest Prices

—GO DIRECT TO THE—

Manchester House.

The Great Bargain Centre of Edmonton.

A fine range in Ladies' Felt Hats, Fur Coats, Cloth Jackets, Dress Goods, Wrappers, Skirts, Blouses, Fur Sets, Wool Shawls, Children's Cashmere and Flannelette Dresses, etc. Special value in Underwear.

...BOOTS AND SHOES...

Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes, Moccasins, Rubbers, etc. in great variety, and most moderate in price.

I have pleasure in stating that I have been appointed Agent for the Delinatore Co., and that I now have a full supply of Butterick's Patterns.

There are competent Dressmakers on the premises.

W. JOHNSTONE WALKER.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

J.T. BLOWEY

THE TEST OF TIME PROVES WHAT WE SAY

We have a large corner of our 9300 square feet of floor space filled with Iron and Brass Beds.

A very strong, durable and artistic Bed at \$5.75.

And they range from that up to \$20.00. Every one a life-lasting article.

Remember we carry the largest stock of Furniture "of all descriptions" between Winnipeg and Vancouver, and can always save you money in Furniture, Carpets, Sewing Machines, Pianos and Organs.

J. T. BLOWEY.

WANTED. Apprentices to assist in the tailoring business. Apply to F. WAGNER, Edmonton.

SERVANT WANTED. A general servant. Apply MRS. N. B. PECK, 1045

POSTRAY. One brown horse about nine years old, branded circle with 2 inside, two hind feet white. Strayed from Cooking Lake about 1st August. Reward of \$10 will be paid for information leading to its recovery or leaving same at my livery stable. 1045 J. R. McDONALD, Edmonton.

POSTRAY. On the premises of the undersigned one roan mare, white face, indistinct brand on left hip. Came to my premises about a month ago. Had the rope on. 1045 W. F. CRAIG, Nampa.

NOTICE. All propertyholders who consider their property to be affected by the recent closing of streets and lanes on the Hudson's Bay Co. reserve are requested to call on the undersigned in writing their grounds of complaint. F. K. GIBSON, Town Clerk.

NOTICE. All propertyholders who consider their property to be affected by the recent closing of streets and lanes on the Hudson's Bay Co. reserve are requested to call on the undersigned in writing their grounds of complaint. F. K. GIBSON, Town Clerk.

Coal for Cash

WM. HUMBERSTONE.

NOTICE. To the Assessor of Fort Saskatchewan School District No. 91. Forward all Tax Notices and Receipts for River Lot No. 3 to MISS ROSE M. SIMMONDS, Kailpool, Montana, U.S.A. 991p

NOTICE. The business of The Edmonton Saddlery Co. having been taken over by The Great West Saddlery Co., all accounts and notes due the said Company must be paid by or before the 1st of January next. After that date all accounts and overdue notes will be turned over to our solicitor for collection. As the business of the old Company must be wound up we would request all customers whose accounts are overdue to assist us by a prompt settlement, and so avoid trouble or expense. EDMONTON SADDLERY CO. T. G. HUTCHINGS, Mgr.

G. H. L. BOSSANGE BOOKSELLER & STATIONER

Office and School Supplies.

Novels and Magazines, Fancy and Sporting Goods.

Toys and Musical Instruments.

Cheap Wall Paper.

..OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE..

Canadian Pacific

..RAILWAY..

Quickest Time and Lowest Rates to all points East and West.

Through cars from Calgary to Montreal and Toronto going East, and to Vancouver, Seattle and the Kootenay going West.

Excursion Rates to California, Honolulu, Japan and all winter resorts.

Cheap Rates to the Old Country.

For information and full particulars apply to nearest agent or address

WM. STYTT, G. E. McPHERSON, G. F. A., Winnipeg.

GRAYDON'S

A NODYNE

EXPECTORANT..

FOR..

COUGHS,

COLDS AND

SORE THROATS.

Try it. 25c. a bottle.

Every Lady Is Interested

In fine Toilet Requisites. We can show you some of the best that can be bought for money, such as Finest French Perfumes, including the latest odors, Toilet and Complexion Powders, Sachet Powders, Eau de Quinine, Hair Tonics, Aromatic Toilet Vinegar, Domestic and Foreign Toilet Soaps from 5c. to \$1.50 a cake. Pure French Castile Soaps—White and Mottled.

D. W. Macdonald,

CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST.

J. M. CLOSSON & Co

..HEAVY..

Winter Jackets

EVERY ONE A LEADER...

PRICES FROM

\$3.00 to \$15.00.

Beaver, Freize and Curl Cloths all sizes.

Also full assortment of Children's Jackets and Cloaks.

NOTICE!

The business of The Edmonton Saddlery Co. having been taken over by The Great West Saddlery Co., all accounts and notes due the said Company must be paid by or before the 1st of January next. After that date all accounts and overdue notes will be turned over to our solicitor for collection. As the business of the old Company must be wound up we would request all customers whose accounts are overdue to assist us by a prompt settlement, and so avoid trouble or expense. EDMONTON SADDLERY CO. T. G. HUTCHINGS, Mgr.

G. H. L. BOSSANGE

BOOKSELLER & STATIONER

Office and School Supplies.

Novels and Magazines, Fancy and Sporting Goods.

Toys and Musical Instruments.

Cheap Wall Paper.

..OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE..

Canadian Pacific

..RAILWAY..

Quickest Time and Lowest Rates to all points East and West.

Through cars from Calgary to Montreal and Toronto going East, and to Vancouver, Seattle and the Kootenay going West.

Excursion Rates to California, Honolulu, Japan and all winter resorts.

Cheap Rates to the Old Country.

For information and full particulars apply to nearest agent or address

WM. STYTT, G. E. McPHERSON, G. F. A., Winnipeg.

EDMONTON BULLETIN

(Semi-Weekly.)

Printed Monday and Thursday evenings.

Subscription \$1.00 per Year
STRICTLY IN ADVANCE.Transient advertisements: Five lines and under,
three insertions and under, \$2.00, or ten cents a line
first insertion and five cents a line each week or part
of week after.Standing advertisements: \$2.00 an inch per month.
BULLETIN Co. (LTD.)

Special Advertisements.

Situations vacant, Situations wanted, Found, Lost,
Notices of Meetings, in solid form, 25 words or under
each, for one insertion, and a cent a word for each
word over 25.

EDMONTON BULLETIN, NOV. 2ND, 1899

VOLUME XXII.

The BULLETIN was first issued nineteen years ago. At each successive birthday, or at the beginning of each yearly volume, a newspaper generally reviews its past and forecasts its future to some extent. As to the past the BULLETIN can say that its pages contain the history of this town and district during the period of its publication, and that not only has it recorded history, but has in some measure helped to make it. The influence of a newspaper is, or should be, an important factor in shaping the course of events in any certain place, and for that place. The BULLETIN believes that with all modesty it can claim a fair share of credit in bringing about the changed and improved conditions existing in Northern Alberta as compared with those existing when it was first published. Through the columns of the BULLETIN the people of the district were made acquainted with each other, and the outside world was made acquainted with them. This was achieved by constituting the BULLETIN a mirror of the place, the people and the events occurring amongst them. In other words by sparing no effort to collect the news, and then presenting it promptly in such form that everyone has time to read it, and no one has reason to be offended by it.

The BULLETIN has been from the first a local newspaper. In that capacity it is generally conceded that it is not excelled by any paper in Canada. Indeed it is not too much to say that it has acquired a national reputation. That reputation will be maintained. The BULLETIN's reach for local news will be increased as the settlement of the country increases. The BULLETIN recognizes that the country makes the town, therefore whatever is of interest to the country is of interest to the town. No settlement is so isolated or remote that its news does not appear as occasion offers in these columns. At the same time, as the town is the centre of business towards which all sections of the country draw to some extent, news of the town is of interest to the country. There is no clash of interest between town and country in this matter and the news of both will appear in full in the columns of the BULLETIN.

But while spreading the news of Edmonton and district before the world at large it has not neglected to keep the people of Edmonton posted up to date on what is occurring in the rest of the world. In other words the BULLETIN's telegraphic service has been and will continue to be a leading feature. No necessary expense has ever been spared in this connection, but unnecessary expense has been avoided. The facts to date are what the BULLETIN always aims to give. During the continuance of the present war close touch will be kept with all the principal events, and extras will be issued as the occasion requires. The importance of this war, and the fact that Canadians are taking an active part in it give it a special interest which will be fully recognized by the BULLETIN's telegraphic service.

Not the least important part of a newspaper is its editorial comment. Under that head the interests of the people and of the district are supported more or less ably, or queered in favor of opposing interests, as the case may be. On this point the BULLETIN's record speaks for itself, and on this ground it particularly asks for support. There are times and occasions, particularly in a new and growing country such as this, when there is a pressing public need of outspoken comment in the public interest. The BULLETIN has never failed the public on such occasions, and its course has been recognized by the support it has received. As the country develops and more and more interest is attracted to it, such occasions will increase in frequency and importance, therefore the need of an independent out-

spoken journal is a growing one. This need the BULLETIN will supply.

The subscription price of the BULLETIN, one dollar a year, for a semi-weekly issue, meets even eastern competition, and ensures the widest possible circulation in the district. Therefore as an advertising medium the BULLETIN takes leading place in Northern Alberta. To have a notice appear in a newspaper is not necessarily advertising. It is to get the advertisement into the hands and the minds of the reading people of the district. This can be done effectively through the advertising columns of the BULLETIN. It cannot be done as effectively for the same money in any other way.

The BULLETIN has during the past year made extensive and important additions to its plant so that it now has the best equipped office in the West for newspaper or commercial printing. Its effort is to meet eastern prices with more than eastern quality of stock and work, and in every way to offer for the public patronage a paper and printing establishment worthy of the present prosperity and brilliant future of the town and district.

BOER AND BRITAIN.

The Transvaal and Orange Free State together comprise an area 800 miles in greatest length by 500 in greatest breadth. Somewhat larger than the Canadian Northwest from Winnipeg to the Rockies and from the Saskatchewan to the boundary. It is chiefly an elevated prairie having a moderate climate, and chiefly a fertile soil. At Kimberley adjoining, or partly within the Orange Free State are the greatest diamond mines in the world, and at Johannesburg, in the Transvaal, are the greatest gold mines in the world. This is a country well worth fighting for, particularly as both republics have been proven to be suitable for settlement by white men. The Free State is the better agricultural region, having a cooler climate than the Transvaal. The population of the Transvaal is given as 80,000 Boers and 123,650 British and other nationalities. The Free State 73,100 Boers and 15,600 British and others. Cape Colony with Bechuanaland, strange to say, has a larger Boer population than the Transvaal and Free State together namely 265,000 Boers and 194,800 British. Although nominally loyal there is no doubt that the Boer army is largely augmented by volunteers from the Boer population of the Cape. Natal has a Boer population of 6,500 and a British population of 123,650. Rhodesia has 1,500 Boers and 8,500 British. Basuto land has 300 Boers and 381 British.

THOSE TAX EXEMPTIONS.

This is a great year for trouble, and the BULLETIN is having its full share. For some time it has been apparent that there were insurmountable difficulties in the way of its pleasing the Free Press. Having succeeded in living through the shock and surprise of this discovery, it has been confronted with another. It can't please the Regina Leader.

The BULLETIN was much attracted by a recent article in the Leader dealing with the growing needs of the Territorial government resultant from increase of population, and (it may be added) additions of territory. The Leader made the existence of certain wholesale tax exemptions one of its principal arguments in support of an increased grant from the federal treasury. In view of the fact that this question has to be dealt with in parliament by men who must be convinced, not only of the need, but also of the justice, of increased Dominion expenditures for the benefit of the Territories, the BULLETIN, following the Leader's lead, mildly suggested that the movement for an increased subsidy might well proceed by first asking for the removal of these exemptions. If this was refused the case of the Territories for an increase of subsidy would be the more firmly and effectively established.

The Leader does not agree with this view—considers it "absurd in the extreme." It continues:

"Financial relief is an immediate requirement; if it is to be deferred until the government and parliament forces the abolition of exemptions, the Territories judging by the want of speed witnessed to date will have a weary wait for relief."

It will be noticed that the foregoing quotation carefully and cleverly reverses by inference the purport of the BULLETIN's suggestion. It is also the Leader's specific answer to the BULLETIN's query in the article commented on as to its position on the exemption question. It is "absurd" to raise the question, and the readers of the Leader are instructed that to raise it would defer a pressing necessary increase in the Territorial subsidy. The Leader has answered the BULLETIN's query fully, though unwittingly. It is not the advertised agent of the various corporations who to-day (and still more two years hence) should according to all principles fair play be contributing many thousands of dollars to the local public funds; but if it were it could not have put up a more clever—though utterly fallacious—argument for their protection.

The Regina Leader complains that it is sneered at because its editor appended his name to a statement that the "tariff is still unsatisfactory." Probably the Leader mistakes the direction of the sneer. It was not at the statement. It was at the paper and its editor who a few days before had accused a fellow editor and member of parliament of unworthy motives for having made a similar statement on the same subject.

A. COASKE,

MERCHANT TAILOR AND
FURRIER,

(One door east of General Post Office.)

Suits, Overcoats, Pants, etc. made to order.

Furs repaired, remodeled and cleaned.

All work and fit guaranteed.

PRICES REASONABLE.....

..T.H.E..

Edmonton Milling

COMPANY (Limited)

STRATHCONA, ALBERTA.

The Standard Flour of the Edmonton District.

If you are not getting more than 50cts. for your wheat, bring it to us.

WE PAY MORE.

THE BIRKBECK

INVESTMENT,
SECURITY AND
SAVINGS.....

..COMPANY

Is now prepared to loan on the installment plan for any term, From 5 to 15 years, inclusive, without requiring borrower to become a shareholder.

Plain definite contract. Low rate. For fuller information apply to
G. G. W. MACDONALD, G. W. R. ALMON,
Solicitor, Edmonton, Agent, Edmonton.

TO RENT.

About the 25th October, the Main street building now occupied by Potter & MacDougall as a store and auction rooms. For terms and particulars apply to

D. R. FRASER

or SHORT & CROSS,
Edmonton. 94

Barley Wanted.

Highest cash price paid for best quality of Malting Barley. None but the best accepted.
R. OCHSNER,
93m2 Strathcona Brewing Co.

A Good Beginning.



Those who are just starting housekeeping should be careful in selecting their Furniture. If your home is nicely furnished you are sure to have a good beginning.

Our lines of Diningroom, Parlor and Bedroom Sets are sure to please you, while other small articles that go to brighten the home and make it comfortable are found in the large stock you have to choose from.

McINTOSH & WHITELAW.
Upholstering, Picture Framing, Undertaking.

The Time for Furs.

WE HAVE A SPLENDID RANGE OF

Ladies' Fur Jackets

In Astrachan, Coon, Bulgarian Lamb and Russian Buffalo
from \$17.00 to \$35.50, also

MENS' FUR COATS

Men's, Women's and Children's Caps,
Collars, Ruffs and Boas.

We are preparing to move into our new premises and are clearing out some lines at Big Reductions. See our Misses' Frieze Jackets, reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.50 each. A snap.

Examine Our Underwear.

J. H. MORRIS & CO.

The One Price Cash House..

..Free and prompt delivery

McDOUGALL & SECORD.



Fashionable Furs

REASONABLY PRICE.

These are the kind of Goods we show.

Ladies' Coon Jackets at	\$42.50 to \$55.00
Ladies' Black Astrachan,	24.00 to 44.00
Ladies' Wallaby,	25.00
Ladies' Wombat,	24.00
Ladies' Fur-lined Capes with Oppossum or Coon Trimmings, large collar, 34-inch; fine Beaver Cloth outside, in all colors,	18.00
Ladies' Astrachan Fur Capes, 34 inch,	18.50
Ladies' Alaska Hare,	13.00
Men's Beaver Coat, Persian Lamb or Beaver Collar and Cuffs,	40.00 to 45.00
Men's Raccoon Coats,	45.00 to 60.00
Men's Wallaby Coats,	25.00
Men's Wombat Coats,	22.50 to 25.00
Men's Bocharian Dog Coats,	25.00
Men's Caps and Gauntlets at very low prices.	

~

Special for the Ladies.

Just opened to-day the latest thing for Ladies' Blouses. English Polka Dot Velvets and French Polka Dot Mohairs in all the New Shades at 40 to 60 cents per yard.

~

McDOUGALL & SECORD.

The Edmonton Bulletin \$1.00 a Year

Bad Tea

IS WORSE THAN

Bad Medicine

..BUT..

Good Tea

IS A LUXURY.

We consider our Tea to be the best that money can buy.

H. ASTLEY.

Family Grocer, Tea, Coffee, Flour and Feed Merchant.

..NEW..

Millinery Opening

Just arrived a handsome and complete stock of Millinery, including Veiling, Working Silks, Dollies, Children's, Hair Ornaments, etc.

Our Stock is strictly up-to-date in every particular and we solicit your patronage before purchasing elsewhere.

Hats made to order to suit the customer's own taste.

Dressmaking in connection.

MRS. KEEGAN & MISS COFFEY.
Opposite W. J. Walter's Store.

Hats Hats Hats

~

All kinds of Hats to suit all kinds of people....

Trimmed Hats,
Leghorn Hats,
Sailor Hats
Cowboy Hats, Fedora Hats.
At all prices to suit all pockets.

SHERA & CO.
Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta.

For Coal, \$2.50 per Ton delivered.

..TELEPHONE..

J. Milner

NORTH OF SCOTLAND CANADIAN
MORTGAGE Co.

Money to Lend

On Improved Farm Property in Alberta
OSLER, HAMMOND & MARTON,
Winnipeg, Managers.

G. S. LOTT, CALGARY,
District Appraiser for Alberta.
For application forms and information, call on
G. T. BRAGG, EDMONTON.

NEW MUSIC

By arrangement with the publishers
everything new in Sheet Music, vocal
and instrumental, will be on hand as
soon as published.

School Supplies

Everything in this line on hand, and we
will be pleased to have a share of your
patronage.

K. W. MACKENZIE
Opposite Bulletin Block, Edmonton.

Egyptian
Cigarettes

-AT-

FITZGERALD'S

OMBOS (STRAW TIPPED).

MELACHRINOS MINE.

TO..

LUMBER
BUYERS.

~

Native Spruce Lumber of all
Kinds suitable for Building
purposes.

A complete stock of British
Columbia Shipyard, Flooring,
Siding, Ceiling, Shingles, Lath
and Mouldings.

Windows
and Doors

ALL SIZES.

D. R. FRASER

Edmonton Saw Mills

LOCAL MARKETS.

Owing to light deliveries the mills are paying considerably over the export price for good wheat in order to get enough to run on. Up to 60c is said to have been paid for No. 1. This will only last until the deliveries outrun the demand. When that occurs the price will come down unless in the meantime the outside price has gone up.

Oats stand as before, 23c for feed and 25c for milling. Light deliveries keep the price stiff. There seems to be a good demand in Kootenay.

Hay scarce at \$6. Green feed more plentiful at \$5 to \$6.

Butter scarce at 15c to 20c.

Eggs very scarce at 25c.

WEATHER AND CROP.

Magnificent weather since last issue. Grain in the stock is now all fit for stacking, and the farmers who threshed or stacked while the grain was unfit are kicking themselves. The Murphy family, which was in a dangerous state a short time ago, is now progressing nicely. Over an average crop will be safely housed, but some loss has occurred, which will lessen the expected record yield. Threshing is progressing favorably. Since the fine weather set in, apparently to stay, everyone wears a contented smile. No ice has yet appeared in the river, indicating a continuance of the mild weather.

THE DEMURRAGE QUESTION.

Messrs. C. E. Macpherson, general passenger agent; G. H. Shaw, general freight agent, of the C. P. R. western division, and N. E. Brooks, traffic superintendent on the C. & E., arrived on Monday's train. T. W. Lines, president of the board of trade, Messrs. Gregg and Tins, of the Post; Oliver, of the BULLETIN, and McDonald, of the Plasterer, met them at the Alberta Hotel by invitation. Mr. McCauley, M. L. A., was also asked to be present, but could not come. The principal question discussed was the recent order of the railway company to collect demurrage of \$2 a day on every car held more than 24 hours for loading or unloading. Mr. Shaw said that the order was not new. That it was a standing regulation of the company. Possibly the fact that it had not been insisted on hitherto at this point made it appear like a new regulation to people here. Every fall a reminder was sent out about the time of the great rush of grain and consequent shortage of cars. As the shortage was greater this year than ever before the company was more strict than formerly about enforcing it. At the same time where special conditions existed, as at Edmonton, the company was quite willing to give special consideration. He asked how long a time was required to load a car from the north side of the river.

Mr. Lines said that the shippers on the north side had asked for 72 hours. He thought this would be fair. Farmers on both sides of the river would require the same time in order that the privilege should be of value to them. For special reasons, which he pointed out, even shippers who owned elevators were not always able to get their cars loaded in 24 hours. Not being able to shift the cars about they were sometimes in a worse position than the man loading direct into the car wherever he found it.

Mr. McDonald said that shippers of coal could not possibly load in 24 hours. After considerable discussion, in which Mr. Shaw pointed out the urgent necessity of the company getting the use of its cars as soon as possible while at the same time wishing to meet the needs of the public, he said the company would be willing to allow the following:

In case of receiving freight, cars might be held without demurrage for 24 hours by dealers in Strathcona; for 48 hours by dealers in Edmonton, and for 72 hours by dealers at Fort Saskatchewan, St. Albert or other outlying points. The time to be reckoned from 7 o'clock in the morning of the day after the car arrived.

In case of shipping freight, Strathcona dealers would be allowed 24 hours, Edmonton and outlying points (including farmers) 48 hours from the time loading should commence after notice of the car being ready had been received. Forty-eight hours to be allowed loading coal cars. In all cases no demurrage to be charged on outgoing cars so long as they were ready to go out on the first train after the time limit had expired. In all cases the agent would be allowed reasonable discretion in case of unavoidable difficulties such as impassable condition of the river, and the like. Mr. Shaw explained the difference between the time allowed dealers and shippers in Strathcona as those in Edmonton and other places by saying that the conditions in Strathcona were precisely similar to those along the company's lines, and therefore did not admit of any different arrangements there than at other places. In discussing the time service no present prospect of an increase in the number of export trains was indicated. But if the winter business showed a satisfactory increase there might be an increase of express trains in the spring. There is a possibility that the days of running of the second mixed train may be changed from up on Saturday and down on Monday to up on Tuesday and down on Wednesday, as likely to be of greater convenience to the public.

The party returned south on Tuesday morning.

HOSPITAL BALL.

The ball in aid of the new hospital, held in the Robertson Hall on Tuesday evening last, was a most successful affair both in point of pleasure and attendance. The ladies of the hospital aid society, in whose charge all arrangements were, had labored with untiring zeal that the event might be a success, and the results of their efforts could be seen on every hand. The hall was prettily decorated with flags, and under the gallery box a stand for the sale of lemonade had been prepared, presided over by Miss Ethel Matheson and Miss Gracie Robertson. On the stage a volunteer orchestra under the leadership of Const. Clark, N. W. M. P., and consisting of Messrs. Beaver, Engstrom, Hockley and Corrievae, assisted by Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. J. W. Morris, piano, provided excellent music for the dancers. R. G. Hardisty as master of ceremonies filled the position most efficiently. The many handsome costumes of the ladies and the occasional red of the uniforms of the mounted police made a very pretty scene of life and color.

In the large room directly under the hall a sumptuous and extensive supper was laid. To this part of the evening's entertainment a corps of young ladies composed of Misses Kathleen Barker, Clara Lauder, May Matheson, Blanche Johnson and Olive Ross had volunteered their assistance, and under their capable management the guests received every attention.

The full programme of twenty numbers, as well as numerous extras, was gone through with and the ball broke up in the proverbial early hours.

The exact amount realized for the benefit of the hospital is not yet known as the ladies have not held a business meeting, but it is understood the affair was as great a success financially as it was socially.

GREAT SLAVE LAKE.

James John and Robert Smith, and Malcolm Campbell, of Prince Albert, arrived yesterday from Great Slave lake. They started from Prince Albert for the Yukon in the spring of 1898 by the Prince Albert route, and spent last winter at Vermilion, on Peace river. They started from there in the spring to go down the Mackenzie, but on reaching Great Slave lake, and hearing the reports of excellent finds there they remained and prospected the shores of the lake all summer.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Thomas Alva Quigley, of Lacombe, was arrested near Kamloops on Saturday afternoon last by Sgt. Aston, N. W. M. P., charged with having murdered his brother-in-law Hagel. He arrived here last night in charge of the Sgt. and is now lodged in the police lock-up in town. He has engaged P. J. Nolan of Calgary for his defense. The preliminary examination will take place at Lacombe on Thursday next, the 9th inst.

He was employed as one of a gang of laborers on the new Cariboo road, about 20 miles from Kamloops, and made no resistance. It was fortunate that the Sgt. arrived when he did, as Quigley had asked the foreman for his time and was about to leave the gang. He says he was warned by a dream that he was wanted. He is a slim man, with sharp features, pale complexion and quite black hair and mustache. He takes his arrest quietly.

On the way to Kamloops Sgt. Aston arrested Albert Canon, three rumpus who were wanted by the Winnipeg police in connection with the recent Gordon murder there. They were stealing a ride on the train. In this arrest Sgt. Aston was assisted by Corp. Trotter, who was on his way west on leave, and by the provincial constable at Albert Canon. The men struggled fiercely and Sgt. Aston's prisoner kicked him severely before he gave up. The prisoners were taken on to Revelstoke and handed over to the provincial police there.

Sgt. Aston is to be congratulated on having made these four important arrests in one trip.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

Mr. McAmmond who came up to this district last winter from Parry Sound and has been visiting relatives in the vicinity since that time died suddenly at the residence of Mr. Fitzgerald, Agricola, Last Monday afternoon he drove from Strathcona to Mr. Fitzgerald's farm, seven miles south of here. Mrs. Fitzgerald being a niece of his. Mr. McAmmond and Mr. Fitzgerald chatted all evening, the former seemed to be in the best of health and spirits, he retired about nine o'clock. Next morning Mr. Fitzgerald called him and got no reply so he went up stairs and into his bedroom and to his horror found him dead. He was quite stiff and from all appearance had been dead for some few hours. Dr. Tofield was at once sent for and pronounced the cause of death heart failure.

Dr. Aylen arrived home yesterday afternoon from his professional trip to the Indian reserve east of here.

John Dean arrived here to-day from Beaver lake with a load of wheat for the mill. He reports threshing all finished and farmers busy taking up their roots, which are an enormous crop around the lake this year.

W. H. White is improving the appearance of the Beaver lake feed barn by putting on an extra siding outside.

P. B. Cunliffe and Geo. Ross leave on a trip to the Athabasca Landing in the morning.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory Edmonton, for the dates given:

	Max.	Min.
Monday, 30,	52	46
Tuesday, 31,	46	26
Wednesday, 1,	51	28
Thursday, 2,	44	23

Barometer reduced to sea level 30.240.

LOCAL.

The Calgary Herald complains that more than one acre of Canada thistles are growing near the MacLeod trail south of Calgary.

W. WINKLEMAN, a Finnish delegate and Chas. Mair of the immigration department are inspecting Southern Alberta. They already visited the White Whale lake district of Northern Alberta.

ROBT. WYNNIE of Innisfail came up on Monday to attend a meeting of the license commissioners in Strathcona. Stacking is backward about Innisfail. The snow is not as completely gone as at Edmonton and the ground is wetter. The crop ripened well however before the bad weather set in.

The board of license commissioners for North Alberta district met in Strathcona on Tuesday to consider an application for wholesale liquor licenses made by Boudreau & Co. The application was granted. The commissioners were all present. They were R. Wynn, Innisfail; J. Lavasseur, St. Albert; W. J. Richardson, Edmonton.

CALGARY HERALD: Two car loads of settlers, comprising Germans, Irishmen, Swedes, Norwegians, Moravians, Canadians and Englishmen went north this morning. The party numbered over 100 and will settle at Poncha, Miller, Wetaskiwin, Leduc and Edmonton. Two special trains went north yesterday, including 17 car loads of settlers.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—C. Pratt, Stony Plain; E. Broesevan, St. Albert; G. H. Shaw, C. E. Macpherson, T. Whitehead, W. J. Cummings, Winnipeg; J. E. Lambert, St. Jerome; Miss Varty, J. E. White and wife, Fort Saskatchewan; W. H. Carson, Lesser Slave lake; N. E. Brooks, Calgary.

Queens—J. G. Oliver, John Barna, D. S. Arnault, J. Saucier, Landing; K. L. Anderson, W. Clark, J. W. Phillips, J. Lambert, R. Theresen, Fort Saskatchewan; C. Roberts, Lesser Slave lake; R. H. Smith, Brantford; J. A. Tierney, St. Albert; Miss W. Vanbaekirk, A. Hallberg, Ross Creek; J. H. Shelden, Edmonton.

Jasper—V. H. Raleigh, Los Angeles; Geo. W. Egan, San Francisco; A. C. Eaton, Milpitas; J. M. Cox, Ponoka; Dick Sutter, Miss K. Sutter, F. Beaver, Fort Saskatchewan; M. McDonald, Pembina; W. Pendleton, Chas. E. Smith, town; A. Cameron, Sturgeon; W. Everett, Winnipeg; P. C. Hamilton, Agricola; T. J. Walsh, J. McDougall, Camilla; T. A. Deby, Beaver lake.

TO RENT.

After Nov. 1st, warehouse 40 x 24. Central. For particulars apply to J. M. CLOSSON & Co., or at this office.

NOTICE.

The Municipality of Edmonton offers a Free Site and Ten Year Extension from Taxation for the erection of a first-class modern Machine Shop and factory by interested parties with sufficient working capital. For further particulars apply to 102 THE TOWN CLERK.

Jas. McDonald, REAL ESTATE

Fire, Accident, Plate Glass
..INSURANCE..
Agent for Goldie & McCulloch's Safe, Newcomb Piano.

BULLETIN BLOCK. Box 44 Edmonton.

Solomon says:

"A Stick for the Fool's Back"

But he who is wise and buys some of our Clothing will not feel the blows of old Boreas and will be comfortable.

Dress well at small cost.

Suits adapted to every purse, person and all weathers.

No charge for examination.

Call and see.

H. SIGLER'S.

Grand Bazaar

In aid of St. Joachim Church, in course of erection, to be held under the patronage of the Catholic Ladies, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

November 7th, 8th and 9th

1899

IN ROBERTSON HALL.

Two Old-Timers' lively competition in connection with the Bazaar. Candidates: James Gibson and Thomas Houston. A splendid gentleman's Ebony clock mounted in gold, presented by the Dean of Old-Timers, the Rev. Father Lacombe, on the occasion of his Golden Jubilee, will be given to the winning candidate. Both candidates are very well known in this district and highly deserve your votes, dear people of Edmonton. Vote for them.

Any amount of useful and fancy work will be offered for sale at very moderate figures. Many valuable and fine articles to be disposed of by means of attractive and interesting raffia. Good vocal and instrumental music will be enjoyed every night by the delighted audience. Fruits, Oysters and Ice Cream to be served on demand. Meals every day from 6 to 8 p.m. Entrance Free. All cordially invited.

You'll Catch Cold

Unless you change that lightweight Underwear of yours for some of our heavier goods.

We have all kinds from the 50cent line to the \$8.00 suit, and we guarantee it the best value for the money that can be obtained in this country. Money back if that is not so.

We can fit all sizes from the small boy to the largest man produced.

Get next to our Underwear and you will be comfortable, and it will not cost much either.

W. T. Henry & Co.

You Save Money

AT THE SIGN OF THE



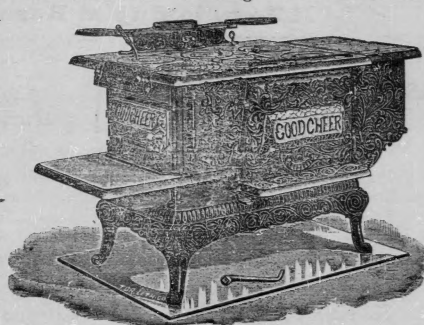
The cold season has now arrived. Prudent buyers are now selecting their Heating and Cook Stoves. Call and examine our lines in.

Stewart's "Good Cheer" McClary's "Famous" AND Gurney's "Oxford".

Wood and Coal Cooks, Cast and Steel Ranges and Heaters, all styles and patterns. See our

"Agricultural Furnaces"

With Coal Grate. Something new in this section.



..WE HANDLE..

McDougall's CELEBRATED Iron Pumps

And carry the largest stock west of Winnipeg.

You have the benefit of thirty years' experience in the Stove and Hardware trade when you deal with

STOVEL & STRANG,

Phone 166. Corner Main and Queen Streets

GRIST MILL FOR SALE.

Comprising three run of Stones, Shafting, Pulleys, Belting and all Gear. Purifier, Scourer, Separator, Roller, Elevators, Conveyors, Spouting, etc. Also a 35 horse-power Engine and a 45 horse-power Boiler, if required.

Apply to D. R. FRASER, Edmonton P. O.

57-1

..STOVEWOOD..

Twelve or 16 in. long, unsplit, \$1.75 per stovewood cord, delivered; split, \$2.00 a cord, delivered.

E. LYONS & Co. Opposite Curling Rink.

Telephone Lubbock & Wilson's stable.

..EDMONTON..

Cartage Company

EDMONTON, - ALBERTA.

..TRANSIENT TEAMING..

Any goods consigned to our care will receive prompt attention.

M. McCAULEY, Proprietor. P. O. Box 194. Telephone 39.

Sash and Door

..FACTORY..

Oscar Sash and Doors, Frames, Moulding and Turned Work. W. H. CLARK, Main Street. Next to Massey-Harris Co.

Stony Plain

..STORE..

Dry-Goods, Groceries, Hardware

Complete Stock. Edmonton Prices.

GRAIN SACKS

ALL KINDS.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry and all kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange.

C. PRATT, Stony Plain.

Blacksmith shop in connection.

Fanning Mills

Farmers, do you want the fastest and best cleaning Mill in the market? If you do, buy the

New Toronto Grain and Seed Cleaner and Grader

We are now offering a few 18-inch Walking Plows at cost to make room for new goods.

Call and secure bargains.

The Bellamy Co.

ESTABLISHED 100 YEARS.
"ORBIT" Brand and PREMIER Navy Cut Tobaccos.
AGENTS FOR CANADA: JAMES TURNER & CO., HAMILTON, ONT.
TADDY & Co., LONDON, ENG.

..STRATHCONA..

Brewing & Malting COMPANY.

P. O. Box 102, Strathcona. Telephone connection.

Manufacturers of the now celebrated

XXX Porter and Ale and Lager Beer.

Bottled, or in cask or keg.

Family trade solicited, and delivery free.

AGENTS—The following are sole agents: Edmonton, James Goodridge of the Jasper House, Fort Saskatchewan, Neville White of the Queen's Hotel, from whom any Porter, or Lager can be purchased at the same price as at the Brewery. Eggs must be returned when empty to the agent from whom they came. Any person or persons selling our Beer or delivering same on name in any way will be prosecuted.

Ring us up at any time with order.

ROBERT OCHSNER, Proprietor.

Key Stones Tombstones Window Sills . . . Cement Cisterns . . Granolithic Walks

And all kinds of Cement Work made on the shortest notice at

EDMONTON GRANOLITHIC WORKS.

Opposite Garfield & Chenier's, Edmonton.

Atlantic Steamship Lines.

Montreal, Quebec and Liverpool Service.

	From	To
Tunisian (Allan)	Montreal	Quebec
Dominion (Dominion)	Nov. 18	Nov. 18
Lake Ontario (Beaver)	Nov. 18	Nov. 18
First Cabin, \$55 and upwards.	Second Cabin, \$25.00 and \$22.50.	
Storage, \$2.50		
Boston to Liverpool.		

Canada (Dominion) Nov. 24th.

First Cabin, \$75 and upwards; Second Cabin, \$40 and upwards.

Passengers ticketed through to all points in Great Britain and Ireland, and at specially low rates to all parts of the European continent. Prepaid passages arranged from all points.

Apply to the nearest steamship or railway ticket agent, or to WILLIAM STEWART, General Agent, Winnipeg, C. P. R. Office.

THE BULLETIN.

Vol. XXII.

EDMONTON, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1899

No. 1.

SUPPLEMENT.

FALL AND WINTER

Suitings and Overcoatings.

We have now in stock the finest and noblest assortment of Suitings ever shown in this town. Our stock comprises the Newest Shades in Tweeds and Serges. We guarantee all our garments to fit perfectly. It will pay you to see our goods and get our prices before ordering elsewhere.

You get style, fit and service by ordering your Clothing from

PROCTOR & SAIGEON
Imperial Bank Block, Edmonton.

SEWING... MACHINES

We are selling the

"ELDRIDGE"

Sewing Machine—a machine second to none—and justly claimed the lightest running Sewing Machine ever manufactured. Fitted throughout with ball bearings and shafts in three styles—Cabinet, Drop Head and Ordinary. We would be pleased to have you call and examine them, and we are satisfied the price will more than suit you, as these machines are not sold in the ordinary Sewing Machine way.

Winter Clothing, Underwear, Hats, Caps, Gloves and Footwear arriving daily.
Farmers' Grain Sacks of all kinds at the lowest prices.

GROCERIES—Our stock is always complete and will be found strictly fresh at all times.

It pays to buy at

ROSS BROS.

ESTRAY. \$5.00 REWARD.

From St. Albert on 16th Sept. one strawberry roan horse, branded W on shoulder, off hoof cracked, shod on front feet, six years old, weight 900. Above reward will be paid for its return to Alberta Hotel, Edmonton, or 290sp JOS. CORRIVEAU, Morinville.

Sash and Door

..FACTORY..

Cedar Sash and Doors, Frames, Moulding and Turned Work.

W. H. CLARK, Main Street.
Next to Massey-Harris Co

..STOVEWOOD..

Twelve or 16in. long, unsplit, \$1.75 per storewood cord, delivered; split, \$2.00 a cord, delivered.

E. LYONS & Co.
Opposite Curling Rink.

T telephone to Lubbock & Wilson's stable.



WM. LOCKHART,
UNDERTAKER

COFFINS, AND CASKETS, ALL STYLES, MADE AT EASTERN PRICES.
All kinds of Funeral Furnishings.

Third Street, - Edmonton.
South of Hudson's Bay Store.

SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS.

The following statements of very great interest as showing the rapid progress of North Alberta within the past year or two have been compiled for the BULLETIN by Isaac Cowie, secretary of the board of trade.

Comparative statement of business done by Calgary and Edmonton railways in 1897 and 1898.

	1897	1898
Number passengers carried	9,476	27,055
Tons freight carried	27,018	127,847
Receipts	\$135,458	\$382,914
Expenses	\$64,515	\$163,295
Earnings 1898:		
from passengers		\$96,250
" freight		\$258,065
" express		\$8,599
		\$362,914

Working expenses 1898:

Maintenance	\$65,373
Working and repairs	\$55,895
General working	\$23,203

\$163,908

Principal freight carried in 1898 by the Calgary and Edmonton railway:

	Tons.
Flour	2,260
Grain	23,340
Live stock	9,874
Lumber	41,848
Pine wood	368
Manufactured goods	34,642
All other articles	15,375

Total freight carried 127,847
Qr Appelle, Long lake and Saskatchewan railway.

	1897	1898
Business done	3,135	3,583
No passengers carried	16,220	21,634
Tons freight carried	\$60,745	\$79,642
Receipts	\$45,536	\$77,059
Expenses		
Proportion of expenses:	\$79.9%	\$96.8%
To receipts percent	\$79.9%	\$96.8%
Earnings 1898 from passengers		\$17,872
" " freight		58,471
" " expenses		3,299

Total Earnings 1898	\$79,642
Expenses 1898 Maintenance	41,574
Working and repairs	22,105
General expenses	13,020
Total	\$77,059

ANGUS RIDGE

Inspector Perrett visited the Battle River school on Wednesday, 18th inst. The pupils were pleased to see him. He will inspect the schools in vicinity of Battle lake on Friday. Thanksgiving day passed off very gently here. All have reason to be thankful to the giver of all good for the bountiful harvest. People will be busy stacking this week. To-day (Monday) is very fine. Messrs. Shantz and Nelles threshed for Mr. McKee on Friday and Saturday. Mr. McKee's crop were badly injured by the hail during the summer.

Miss Frances Cherrington, who was on the sick list, is in her usual health. Oct. 23rd.

We had Indian summer this week. Stacking and threshing are the orders of the day at Battle river.

Mr. Abbott has purchased a fine span of horses to replace those he lost during the summer.

J. Thirsk has built a new granary on the "Model Farm." The new Presbyterian missionary did not put in an appearance here last Sunday. Our late missionary, Mr. Hamilton, is attending Manitoba College.

Messrs. Harkness, Macdonnell, C. Young and other cattle buyers occasionally pay us a visit.

Ed. Rix has returned to the burg to clerk for Mr. West.

The last night of October is usually a quiet one. Boys have more sense now than formerly. Oct. 23.

BEAVER LAKE EAST.

August Verch, of this settlement, can raise seed onions of a size worth mentioning, viz. 36 inches in circumference; but when it comes to quantity as well as size he isn't in it with Thos. Brigham, of the Ross Creek settlement. Mr. Brigham raised about five wagon loads of them this year.

A considerable quantity of grain is unstacked here. At the south end I believe some fields are not cut yet. The lake is almost entirely frozen over. This is a good deal earlier than usual, but it may open again as the ice is not very thick.

Were the postmasters in country districts appointed registrars of births, marriages, and deaths, it would ensure greater accuracy, and the public would find it more convenient.

Mr. Woodruff, buyer for Gordon & Ironside, bought quite a few head of cattle here. Prices were satisfactory. Oct. 25 '99.

A Vancouver despatch to the Winnipeg Telegram says: The steamer Rosalie arrived from the north last night with \$250,000 in treasure. J. Dickson, of Winnipeg, brought out \$40,000 and has claims worth \$80,000. Mr. Dickson was prospecting on the Liard river and says he discovered immense silver ledges carrying gold ore which ran nearly \$200 in silver, but they will not be workable very soon owing to their inaccessibility.

The Northwest Entomological society will hold its 1st annual general meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 7th, in the agricultural hall, Lacombe, Alberta. Business: To review the state of the society; to devise means for further popularizing its objects; to elect officers for the ensuing year.

The Canadian Magazine for October contains an excellent re-telling of the great gold brick tragedy in Calgary. The only weakness is where it varies from the original facts. No flight of fancy could improve on them. The article is signed "Cy. Warman."

Gallagher-Hull Meat & Packing COMPANY (Limited).

Dealers in all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
**HOGS,
CATTLE
AND SHEEP.**

Chickens, Turkeys, and all Game in season.

Special attention given to local trade.

Hides Bought and Sold.

GEO. T. BRAGG,
Agent C.P.R. Lands
Fire, Accident, Plate Glass and Guarantee Insurance
Remington Type Writers and supplies.
Office next to Macdonald's Drug Store.

TOWN LOTS
In the vicinity of Stations on the Calgary & Edmonton Railway
..FOR SALE..

Apply to C. S. LOTT, Calgary,
H. WILSON, South Edmonton, or
OSLER, HAMMOND & NANTON, Winnipeg.

A. Cristall,

..Wholesale Liquors and Cigars..

A Choice Stock of...

BRANDY,

SCOTCH,

RYE...

Imported Wines, Native Wines and Liquors always on hand.

Try me and you will call again.

A. CRISTALL.

Grand Bazaar

In aid of St. Joachim Church, in course of erection, to be held under the patronage of the Catholic Ladies, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,

November 7th, 8th and 9th

1899

IN ROBERTSON HALL.

Two Old-Timers' lively competition in connection with the bazaar. Candidates: James Gibbons and Thomas Houston. A splendid gentleman's Ebony Stick mounted in gold, presented by the Dean of Old-Timers, the Rev. Father Lacombe, on the occasion of his Golden Jubilee, will be given to the winning candidate. Both candidates are very well known in this district and highly deserve your votes, dear people of Edmonton. Vote for them.

Any amount of useful and fancy work will be offered for sale at very moderate figures. Many valuable and fine articles to be disposed of by means of attractive and interesting raffles. Good vocal and instrumental music will be enjoyed every night by the delighted audience.

Fruits, Oysters and Ice Cream to be served on demand. Meals every day from 6 to 8 p.m.

Entrance Free.

All cordially invited.

GRIST MILL FOR SALE.

Comprising three run of Stones, Shafting, Pulleys, Belting and all Gear. Purifier, Separator, Rods, Elevators, Conveyors, Spouting, etc. Also a 35 horse-power Engine and a 45 horse-power Boiler, if required.

Apply to

D. R. FRASER.

57-4f Edmonton P. O.

..EDMONTON..

Cartage Company

EDMONTON, - ALBERTA.

...TRANSIENT TEAMING...

Any goods consigned to our care will receive prompt attention.

M. McCAULEY, Proprietor.

P. O. Box 194. Telephone 39.

Pure Insect Powder

Tanglefoot
Fly Paper

Fly Poison Pads

Insect Powder
Guns

Macdonald's
Pharmacy..